

Delaware Energy Efficiency Advisory Council Meeting

Kent County Levy Court – Dover, DE

September 14, 2016

Meeting Minutes

EEAC Council Members

Robert Underwood – present
Glenn Moore – present
Mark Nielson – absent
Scott Lynch – present
Bill O’Brien – present
Harris McDowell - absent
Carl Johnson – absent
Amy Roe – present
Sanjay Kapuria – absent
Cassandra Marshall – present (phone)
John Sykes – present
Mike Messer – absent – designee present
Joe Schorah – absent

Angela Bivens, First State CAA
Matt Hartigan, PSC
Lauren Ryan, Seiberlich Trane
Ward Strosser, Con Edison
Stephanie Herron, Sierra Club
Haly Laasme, DHSS
Tim Petit, DNV GL
Dan Feng, DNV GL
Gary Swan, NEF
Rebecca Gordon, Delmarva Power
Shona Marshall, PSC
Pam Knotts, PSC
Susan Komornik, Lockheed Martin
Alan Rolles, Lockheed Martin
Cindy Ventresca, Delmarva Power
Bridget Shelton, Delmarva Power
Tony DePrima, DE SEU
Andrea Maucher, DE Public Advocate (phone)
DJ Sneeringer – Delmarva Power (phone)
Ed Schmidt, MCR Perf. Solutions (phone)
Ronald Abremski, ICFI

Consultants in Attendance

Mark Kravatz, Optimal Energy
Jeff Loiter, Optimal Energy

Attendees

Ed Synoski, DNREC
Emily St. Clair, DNREC
Anna Lising, Oracle
Charles Kistler, First State CAA

Welcome and Introductions – Robert Underwood called the meeting to order and presented the agenda.

Council business, planning, and general discussion

- **Meeting Minutes** – The meeting minutes from the July 13, 2016 and August 10, 2016 meetings were approved.

Program Updates – Each of the Program Administrators gave updates on their program portfolios. This included: 1) a presentation by DNREC on EEIF/WAP as well as their informing the Council that they intend to bring a detailed plan for a vote at the October meeting; 2) a presentation by Delmarva Power on their Consumer Products and Behavior Based programs as well as their informing the Council that they intend to bring a detailed plan for a vote at the October meeting; 3) a discussion by the SEU on programs they are currently running as well as an update on their newly launched multi-family program; 4) a presentation by DEMEC on their

LED Streetlight Retrofit Program and Demand Response Program for large customers; 5) a presentation by DEC on programs they are currently considering for program year 1; and 6) a presentation by Chesapeake informing the Council that they are still working on identifying cost-effective programs as well as their intent to try to leverage programs that are going to be run by other program administrators.

Low-Income Workgroup Update – Mark Kravatz from Optimal Energy updated the Council on the workgroup meeting that occurred earlier in the day. This included informing the Council that the workgroup has begun to work through the criteria that will be used to evaluate eventual programs to be recommended to the Council. This discussion will continue on a conference call to be scheduled and also at the October meeting of the workgroup.

EM&V Committee Update – Jeff Loiter from Optimal Energy updated the Council on the EM&V committee meeting from September 13th. This included informing the Council of 1) a potential collaboration with the SEU on the database; 2) a discussion on net to gross ratios and that major principles have been agreed upon; and 3) a discussion on avoided costs and that an expert was brought in to help the group gain understanding of the topic. A firm date for the next EM&V committee meeting has not been selected but it will be sometime in October.

Energy Education Program Presentation – Angela Bivens from First State Community Action Agency gave a presentation on their existing energy education program that assists low-income individuals with better management of their energy usage.

Next Meeting – The next meeting will be held in October at a date still to be determined. To participate by phone please call 1-877-366-0711 and enter participant code 96520857.

Copies of the meeting materials have been posted on the DNREC website:

<http://www.dnrec.delaware.gov/energy/information/otherinfo/Pages/EEAC/Council.aspx>